



## Ismaelie Antoine

January 26, 1965 - February 2, 2022

Ismaelie Antoine, age 57, loving mother of four children and long-time resident of Salisbury, MD, passed away in the late hours of February 2, 2022 after an arduous and courageous battle with ovarian cancer. She passed away in peace at home surrounded by her family.

Ismaelie was born in 1965 in Haiti. She had 4 siblings. Ismaelie is survived by her 4 wonderful children, Lydie J. Tessonno, Claudy Joinville, Roosevelt Joinville, and Billy Joinville; her grand-daughter Phoebe F. Marcelus; her siblings Eveline Antoine, Audena and Denis Blanchard; her mother Olitese Saint Surin; her daughter-in-law Cheelove Joinville, and son-in-law Pierre Y. Tessonno. She is preceded in death by her husband, Jean-Claude Joinville.

Ismaelie was known by everyone to be a loving, caring, fun, and selfless woman, always giving her time and attention to others. She met her husband, Jean Claude, in the Haitian capital Port-au-Prince. They both shared a love for family and a vision to start a family. They were married for 29 years. As a wife, she was loving, strong, and supportive to her husband and family. As a mother, she was generous, loving and kind. She was always ready to make any sacrifice for the good of her family and willing to help others in need. Ismaelie became a grandmother five years ago; she was filled with happiness about her family starting to grow much bigger.

Ismaelie was a very devoted member of her church. She enjoyed going to church and served the church in various capacities including in the choir, youth group, and women's group. In her free time, she enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She enjoyed singing, dancing, and cooking. Ismaelie touched many lives with her positive outlook on life and outgoing personality. The world will truly miss the love and light she brought wherever she was, and the kindness and generosity she extended to everyone she knew.

The Joinville's family wish to extend our deepest gratitude to all the medical staff that cared for Ismaelie, her church family, friends and colleagues that sustained her throughout her courageous battle with cancer.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made and dedicated in Memory of Ismaelie Antoine to the American Cancer Society at <https://donate3.cancer.org>.

There will be a funeral service for those who would like to say their last goodbye to Ismaelie. Reverend Samuel Angelot will officiate. The information to attend funeral is below in person. If you are unable to attend in person, the service will also be live streamed on the Bennie Smith Funeral Home Facebook page at Benniesfh Salisbury or on their website at [www.benniesmitfuneralhome.com](http://www.benniesmitfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Parson's Cemetery

912 North Division Street  
Salisbury, MD 21801

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 11. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Bennie Smith Life Celebration Center  
901 West Isabella Street  
Salisbury, MD 21801

## Funeral Service

FEB 11. 10:30 AM (ET)

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901 West Isabella Street  
Salisbury, MD 21801

## Live Stream Broadcast on Facebook

FEB 11. 10:30 AM.

Benniesfh Salisbury  
<http://Facebook>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bennie Smith Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Ismaelie Antoine*



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**Bennie Smith Funeral Home** - February 11, 2022 at 10:52 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Ismaelie Antoine.*



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February 10, 2022 at 01:39 PM



“ *“May”.. I’m so happy to have known you for these few years. Since I’ve met you the first time I went to Delaware, you treated me as your daughter. You are such a joyful person. I will always remember your laughter. May you rest in Heaven. I love you always, Bernarde.*

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**Bernarde Cineas** - February 09, 2022 at 11:34 PM



“ *Sacred Garden Spray was purchased for the family of Ismaelie Antoine.*



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February 09, 2022 at 08:22 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Ismaelie Antoine.*



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February 09, 2022 at 01:34 PM



“ *Rest well Mrs. Antoine. I didn't know you but I got to know your son Roosevelt and he's an amazing young man which led me to think you were a God sent mother from the way he carries himself with grace and poise.*

*Thank you for all the joy and positive memories you left many of us with whether directly or indirectly through your kids, just know you were a light to many. May the love of Christ be with you.*

*My prayers and condolences to the Joinville family. 🌸*

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**Henrietta Carr** - February 09, 2022 at 10:04 AM



*Please add my name on the top of the flower sending, the families did see how sent the flowers*

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**Gabrielle T** - February 09, 2022 at 07:42 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Ismaelie Antoine.*



February 08, 2022 at 11:03 PM



“ *I remember the last time we were together as a family. I also can't stop but keep visualizing this big smile you always had on your face. Because that's who you were, a happy soul. You were a caring and loving individual. You have left us some wonderful memories. I will always remember you...I will miss you dearly! Rest In Peace, May - Islande Cineas*

**Islande** - February 08, 2022 at 09:31 PM



“ *Jeanvane Laguerre purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ismaelie Antoine.*



**Jeanvane Laguerre** - February 08, 2022 at 05:57 PM



“ *Peace Eternal Wreath was purchased for the family of Ismaelie Antoine.*



February 08, 2022 at 09:01 AM

DA

“ Whenever we met, you always hugged me and greeted me with a smile. You were so easy to talk to and our conversations reflected how much you loved your sons and daughter; you spoke so highly of them. We will miss you! Rest well, Mrs. Antoine - Davency

Davency - February 07, 2022 at 10:35 PM

JS

“ You blessed the earth with your presence and left for us your amazing children who will make a great impact on our world. Rest well, Mrs. Antoine.

Joyce Sessoms - February 07, 2022 at 10:01 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ismaelie Antoine.



February 07, 2022 at 09:56 AM

CJ

“ The kindest soul and the most wonderful mom-in-law. Through your short time on this earth, you have touched so many people in special ways. You left such a big void in our hearts that only God can help fill that void. I miss you dearly! ~Cheelove

Cheelove Joinville - February 06, 2022 at 11:29 PM